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In re Application of

Melanie K. Anderson, et al.

Application No. 10/061,794 :

Filed: February 1, 2002 :

Attorney Docket No. 11610.02

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed July 15, 2004, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed October 16, 2003, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the application became abandoned at midnight on January 16, 2004.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center 3700, Art Unit 3713 for further processing.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (703) 306-5594.

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